

Listing of Claims:

Claims 1-7. (Canceled).

8. (Currently Amended) A subscriber identifying module including a microcontroller in a mobile telecommunication network which is configured to communicate with at least one remote system in the mobile telecommunication network, said subscriber identifying module and said remote system being adapted to store at least one parameter identifying a user in the network, said subscriber identifying module comprising:

a one-time account identifier designed for a one-time logon to the network; and
a permanent account identifier, said permanent account identifier being deactivated;
wherein said one-time and permanent account identifier are prestored in said at least one remote system, and

wherein said microcontroller is programmed to:

- a) use the one-time account identifier to logon to the network when said subscriber identifying module is switched on;
- b) exchange the one-time account identifier with the permanent account identifier in the subscriber identifying module upon successful logon to the network as the active account identifier in a first data processing device; and
- c) upon successful logon to the network, send an activation request for deactivating in said at least one remote system an account identifier attached to a second subscriber identifying module and activating the permanent account identifier attached to the first data processing device,

wherein the step b) is performed in said first data processing device by means of an auto-activation application executed after receiving a message from the network informing a successful logon.

9. (Previously Presented) The subscriber identifying module according to claim 8, wherein the account identifier attached to the subscriber identifying module identifies the same account as the account identified by the account identifier attached to a second data processing device.

10. (Previously Presented) The subscriber identifying module according to claim 8, wherein the permanent account identifier attached to the first subscriber identifying module identifies an account which is different from the account identified by the account identifier attached to the second data processing device.

11. (Previously Presented) The subscriber identifying module according to claim 8, wherein the first subscriber identifying module stores the account identifier attached to the second subscriber identifying module and the first subscriber identifying module is programmed for transmitting said account identifier attached to the second subscriber identifying module to the said at least one remote system.

12. (Previously Presented) The subscriber identifying module according to claim 8, wherein said subscriber identifying module is a SIM card.

13. (Previously Presented) The subscriber identifying module according to claim 8, wherein the logon step a) is performed in a centralized remote system and, after receiving the activation request from said device, said centralized remote system sends commands to said at least one remote system for exchanging the current active account corresponding to a second data processing device into the new active account corresponding to the first data processing device.

14. (Canceled)

15. (Currently Amended) A remote telecommunication system in a mobile telecommunication network, wherein the remote telecommunication system is configured for communicating with a subscriber identifying module, said remote telecommunication system storing:

a one-time account identifier for a one-time logon of a subscriber identifying module to the network;

a permanent account identifier attached to an original data processing device; and

a set of instructions for accepting logon of a replacement subscriber identifying module in the network and treating an activation request sent from an auto-activation application executed in [[from]] the replacement subscriber identifying module by the following operations: deactivating the account identifier attached to the original subscriber identifying module and, activating the account identifier attached to the replacement data processing device.

16. (Previously Presented) The remote telecommunication system according to claim 15, wherein the remote telecommunication system is programmed for associating the account identifier attached to the original subscriber identifying module with the same account as the account identified by the account identifier attached to the replacement data processing device.

17. (Previously Presented) The remote telecommunication system according to claim 15, wherein the remote telecommunication system is programmed for associating the permanent account identifier attached to the first subscriber identifying module to an account which is different from the account identified by the account identifier attached to the second data processing device.

18. (Previously Presented) The remote telecommunication system according to claim 15, wherein the remote system determines the account identifier to be deactivated from the account identifier attached to the second processing device as transmitted by the first data processing device.

19. (Currently Amended) The remote telecommunication system according to claim 15, wherein the one-time account identifier is the same for a set of subscriber identifying modules ~~data processing devices~~ in the network.

20. (Currently Amended) A method for activating a subscriber identifying module in a telecommunication network, said method comprising the steps of:

providing a first subscriber identifying module which stores a one-time account identifier designed for a one-time logon to the network and which also stores a permanent account identifier, said permanent account identifier being deactivated, said first subscriber identifying module being programmed to automatically, upon successful one-time logon to the network, exchange the one-time account identifier with the permanent account identifier in said first subscriber identifying module and send an activation request to a remote network system for activating said permanent account identifier attached to a first data processing device; and

providing a remote network system which stores an active account identifier attached to a second subscriber identifying module, said remote network system being programmed for treating the activation request originating from the first subscriber identifying module by the operations which include deactivating the account identifier attached to the second original subscriber identifying module and activating the account identifier attached to the first subscriber identifying module.

21. (Currently Amended) A data processing device including a microcontroller and configured to communicate with at least one remote system distributed on a network, said data processing device and said remote system adapted to store a plurality of parameters identifying a user account belonging to a subscriber, said data processing device comprising:

a one-time parameter comprising the active account attached to said data processing device designed for a one-time use; and

a permanent parameter identifying an account attached to said data processing device, said permanent parameter being deactivated;

wherein said one-time and permanent parameter are stored in said at least one remote system, and

wherein said microcontroller is programmed to:

a) using the one-time parameter to logon to the network when said data processing device is switched on; and

b) exchanging the one-time parameter with the permanent parameter, upon successful logon to the network, said permanent parameter becoming the permanent active account, wherein a first data processing device and said at least one remote system store a parameter identifying a current active account attached to a second data processing device to replace, and upon successful logon to the network, a program automatically stored in said first data processing device sends an activation request for exchanging the plurality of parameters from the old for the new one in said at least one remote system, with the current active account being deactivated,

wherein step b) is performed in said first data processing device by means of an auto-activation application executed after receiving a message from the network informing a successful logon.

22. (Previously Presented) The data processing device of claim 21, wherein said activation request includes at least one of at least one old parameter and at least one new parameter for identifying the device requesting an account activation.

23. (Previously Presented) The data processing device of claim 21, wherein said one-time parameter is the same for a set of data processing devices replacing a respective old data processing device.

24. (Previously Presented) The data processing device of claim 21, wherein the subscriber switches on said data processing device.

25. (Previously Presented) The data processing device of claim 21, wherein after receiving the activation request from said first data processing device, a centralized remote system sends commands to said at least one remote system for exchanging the current active account corresponding to the second data processing device into the new active account corresponding to the first data processing device.

26. (Previously Presented) The data processing device of claim 21, wherein the logon step a) is performed in a centralized remote system and after receiving the activation request from said first data processing device, said centralized remote system sends commands to said at least one remote system for exchanging the current active account corresponding to the second data processing device into the new active account corresponding to the first data processing device.

27. (Canceled)

28. (New) The subscriber identifying module according to claim 8, wherein the one-time account identifier is the same for a set of subscriber identifying modules in the network.

29. (New) The method for activating a subscriber identifying module in a telecommunication network according to claim 20, wherein the one-time account identifier is the same for a set of subscriber identifying modules in the network.

30. (New) The data processing device of claim 21, wherein the one-time account identifier is the same for a set of subscriber identifying modules in the network.